

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please add the following new claim:

49. (New) An apparatus according to claim 23, wherein said fuel cell is a power source for a vehicle.

REMARKS

Claims 1-48 were pending in this application. By this amendment, new claim 49 has been added. Accordingly, claims 1-49 are currently under examination.

New claim 49 is supported by the specification, for example at page 29, lines 28-30. Accordingly, no new matter has been added.

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Respectfully submitted,

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